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Ref: Race Equality Scheme 2002-2005

Dear Jane,

I write to you to ask for your assistance in reviewing the amended Race Equality Scheme, which has just been completed, and is enclosed herewith.

Your comments on the content would be most valuable, however, due to tight timescales, this is required by Tuesday 21st May at the latest.

Could I ask therefore that you be so kind as to give this matter you earliest attention and prepare feedback for the meeting of the IAG on Tuesday 21st May at Police HQ in Kempston. If, however you are unable to attend please email your comments to Charlie at charlie.whiteside@bedfordshire.pnn.police.uk. before that date.

This is, of course, your opportunity to have your voice heard and play an valuable part in finalising this important document. I would like to thank you in anticipation and look forward to seeing you next week.

Yours sincerely 4

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Ms J Codona 7 Woodside Park Hatch Road Hatch Sandy Beds **SG19 1PT**

Dear Ms Codona

Bedfordshire Police Authority - Draft Race Equality Scheme

I am pleased to attach our Draft Race Equality Scheme as required under the Race Relations (Amendment) Act 2000. Under the Act, both the Police Service and the Authority are required to produce their own Schemes.

As part of our process for developing a Scheme, we felt it appropriate to consult with members of the Independent Advisory Group and would greatly welcome your comments.

The Bedfordshire Police Draft Race Equality Scheme will be discussed at your next meeting on Tuesday 21st May 2002. I hope that any issues arising from our Scheme can similarly be discussed at the same meeting.

If there are any issues that you wish to raise, please contact Paul Wainwright (Policy & Research Officer) by:

- E-mail to paul.wainwright@bedfordshire.police.uk
- Telephone direct on (01234) 842283

Alternatively, we would be pleased if you could provide written/verbal feedback via Inspector John Seamarks at the meeting.

I look forward to your views and hope that you consider our proposals as an innovative challenge.

Yours sincerely

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